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In re application of : Stephen Spaulding Hickok  
Serial No. : 10/070,062  
Filed : February 27, 2002  
For : METAL-CONTAINING  
COMPOSITIONS, PREPARATIONS  
AND USES  
Last Office Action : September 2, 2003  
Examining Attorney : Alton Nathaniel Pryor  
Attorney Docket No. : MAGZ 2 00003

Cleveland, Ohio 44114  
December 2, 2003

REQUEST FOR A TWO MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

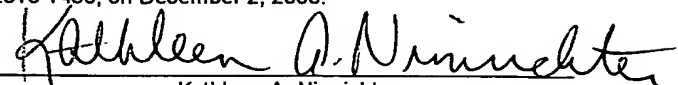
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

The initial period for response to the outstanding Official Action, issued  
September 2, 2003 expired on October 2, 2003.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this Request For A Two Month  
Extension Of Time is being deposited with the United States  
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22313-1450, on December 2, 2003.


  
Kathleen A. Nimrichter

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17, petition is hereby made for a two month extension of time up to and including December 2, 2003 in which to respond to the Official Action. A check in the amount of \$210.00 for the necessary two month extension fee for a small entity is enclosed herewith.

Authorization is hereby provided to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.

Respectfully submitted,

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